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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Luyten et al.
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MORPHOGENETIC PROTEINS
Examiner : Romeo, David S.
Group Art Unit : 1647

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.